STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS19329

This bill will permit private sector employers to contract with the Director of the Department of Administration, just as local units of government may now do, for the provision of state employee health insurance to their Idaho employees. At present, such contracts between the Department and local units of government require, among other things, that the employer commit to a five year contract, provide employees all insurance benefits provided to state employees (including health, dental, vision, disability and life) and pay all costs to provide such benefits.

FISCAL NOTE

None. Private sector employers and their employees will pay the full cost of coverage.



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